

STATE OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

I. POPULATION 597,113, NATURAL INCREASE 3,879 (3,871), 12 months' inc. 8.

Population	Item	December 1939			12 months - Jan. - December		
		M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total
State 30/9/39							
M. 298,528 F. 298,585	Births	347	346	693	4,987	4,631	9,618
Total 597,113	Deaths	216	189	405	3,116	2,623	5,739
Metropolitan 31/12/39							
Total 322,988	NAT. INC. 1939	131	157	288	1,871	2,008	3,879
54% of the State	1938	149	184	333	1,946	1,925	3,871

2. BIRTHS. 9,618 (9,410). 12 months' increase 208.

Period	S T A T E						METROPOLITAN			
	Total		Nuptial		Ex-Nuptial		Nuptial		Ex-Nuptial	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Dec. 1939	347	346	339	338	8	8	171	155	4	6
1938	348	375	336	362	12	13	167	197	10	7
Year 1939	4,987	4,631	4,827	4,518	160	113	2,309	2,166	107	73
1938	4,863	4,547	4,729	4,413	134	134	2,254	2,102	88	87

3. DEATHS. 5,739 (5,539). 12 months' increase 200.
48 more infantile deaths.

Period	STATE		METROP.		INFANTS UNDER 1 YEAR - STATE					
	M.	F.	M.	F.	Under 1 wk.	1 wk. 1 mh.	1-3 mhs.	3-6 mhs.	6-12 mhs.	Total
Dec. 1939	216	189	117	119	16	-	6	-	6	28
1938	199	191	126	120	9	-	2	1	-	12
Year 1939	3,116	2,623	1,845	1,719	165	26	54	41	49	335
1938	2,917	2,622	1,710	1,697	155	44	27	28	33	287

4. MARRIAGES. 5,670 (5,489). 12 months' increase 181.
234 more by Ministers, 53 less Civil.

Period	STATE			METROPOLIS		
	Celebrated by -		TOTAL	Celebrated by -		Total
	Minis- ters	Civil Officers		Minis- ters	Civil Officers	
Dec. 1939	675	48	723	483	39	522
1938	586	38	624	418	34	452
Year 1939	5,193	477	5,670	3,433	432	3,865
1938	4,959	530	5,489	3,239	489	3,728

5. INFECTIOUS DISEASES NOTIFIED TO CENTRAL BOARD OF HEALTH.

Disease	Cases Notified				Disease	Cases Notified			
	Dec.		Jan.-Dec.			Dec.		Jan.-Dec.	
	1939	1938	1939	1938		1939	1938	1939	1938
Anthrax	-	-	-	1	Poliomyelitis	-	5	4	284
Diphtheria	41	35	643	772	Puer. Fever	5	8	64	50
Dysentery-Amebic	-	-	-	4	Pul. Tuber.	33	21	334	300
Bac.	-	-	5	3	Scarlet Fever	17	47	525	510
Encephalitis	-	-	2	-	Typhoid	1	3	16	33
Erysipelas	6	2	96	78	Paratyphoid	-	-	-	1
Influenza	-	1	246	42	Typhus Fever	-	-	4	7
Malaria	-	-	2	-	Undulant Fever	-	-	1	-
Measles	2943	11	6157	85	Whooping Cough	540	1	2931	184
Meningitis	-	-	1	-	Totals	3586	134	11031	2354

D E A T H S.

ABRIDGED CLASSIFICATION of Causes of Death, South Australia,
DECEMBER, and Aggregate January to December, 1939.

Cause	December, 1939.				12 mths Jan. to Dec.			
	STATE		METROP.		STATE		TOTALS	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	1939	1938
Typhoid Fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
Typhus Fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Small Fox	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Measles	3	5	2	4	5	6	11	-
Scarlet Fever	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	2
Whooping Cough	7	1	3	-	11	5	16	1
Diphtheria and croup	1	1	1	1	14	16	30	26
Influenza	1	1	-	-	12	12	24	13
Plague	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tuberculosis of resp. system	8	6	7	6	111	95	206	193
" other forms	-	2	-	2	12	7	19	25
Syphilis	1	-	1	-	14	3	17	21
Malaria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Other Epidemic diseases	1	1	-	1	25	18	43	42
Cancer & other malig. tumors	29	27	14	20	348	357	705	769
Tumors - non-malignant	1	3	-	1	17	23	40	35
Chronic Rheumatism & Gout	-	1	-	1	4	10	14	16
Diabetes mellitus	4	13	-	8	54	90	144	140
Alcoholism	-	-	-	-	8	3	11	4
Other general diseases &c.	3	4	3	4	48	51	99	88
Cocomotor Ataxia &c.	1	-	1	-	9	-	9	8
Cerebral haemorrhage & softg.	17	20	8	11	261	292	553	568
Other diseases, nervous system	3	3	3	2	61	63	124	113
Organic diseases of the heart	39	42	21	25	736	573	1309	1199
Other diseases, circ. system	5	6	4	2	76	76	152	126
Bronchitis-Acute, chronic, &c.	3	-	2	-	36	28	64	74
Pneumonia	6	5	5	3	147	126	273	327
Other diseases resp. system	5	2	1	2	75	62	137	121
Diarrhoea and enteritis	2	1	1	1	26	28	54	37
Appendicitis	2	-	1	-	22	14	36	39
Diseases of the liver, &c.	1	2	-	2	25	42	67	63
Other diseases, digest. system	9	3	5	-	91	43	134	111
Nephritis-Acute and chronic	11	7	6	4	150	109	259	259
Other-Genito-Urinary system	3	2	1	1	76	24	100	100
Puerperal septicaemia	-	2	-	1	-	12	12	8
Other puerperal accidents of pregnancy and labour	-	4	-	2	-	26	26	36
Diseases - skin, bone, &c.	2	2	2	-	8	14	22	30
Congenital debility and malformations & Prem. Births	11	6	7	4	122	94	216	208
Senility	4	9	3	6	142	152	294	289
Suicide	3	-	1	-	49	16	65	72
Homicide	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	5
Violent deaths (other)	25	7	11	4	256	111	367	295
Diseases ill-defined	5	1	3	1	64	21	85	69
TOTAL 1939	216	189	117	119	3116	2623	5739	-
1938	199	191	126	120	2917	2622	-	5539

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7. CAUSES OF DEATHS &C. - PRINCIPAL LOCAL GOVERNMENT DISTRICTS, METROPOLIS & STATE, JAN.-DEC., 1939.

CAUSE (Population 31/12/39 shown under the name of District)	Adelaide 31,390	Ft. Adelaide 30,185	Prospect 20,731	Unley 41,926	Burnside 24,740	Glenelg 11,306	Hindmarsh 13,316	Kens. & Nor. 14,565	St. Peters 11,750	Thebarton 14,771	Woodville 28,800	Pt. Pirie 11,912	Mt. Gambier 5,794	Mitcham 17,782	W. Torrens 17,148	Metropolis 322,988	State 596,300 1939	State 595,109 1938
Deaths																		
Typhoid	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6
Measles	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	11	1
Scarlet Fever	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2
Whooping Cough	1	1	2	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	9	16	1
Diphtheria and croup	6	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	17	30	26
Influenza	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	12	24	13
Acute Poliomyelitis	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	21
Tuberculosis-Respiratory	27	16	2	14	14	2	7	11	7	7	16	3	2	9	6	164	206	193
Other	3	1	1	2	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	13	19	25
Cancer	58	34	29	68	35	13	19	26	30	20	28	8	14	27	20	461	705	769
Simple Meningitis	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	16	9
Cerebral haemorrhage	15	12	10	22	10	8	4	9	3	4	9	6	1	7	3	140	229	251
Diseases of heart	97	56	47	105	59	35	30	41	29	39	40	33	19	25	35	752	1309	1199
Pneumonia - Broncho	14	11	5	13	12	1	11	8	4	5	5	1	3	4	3	102	168	188
Lobar &c.	9	7	3	11	2	1	4	2	4	7	5	1	1	4	2	71	105	139
Diarrhoea & Ent. (under 2)	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	16	33	25
" (2 years & over)	1	2	2	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	15	21	12
Nephritis	21	17	10	14	9	2	8	4	12	8	15	8	8	4	3	148	259	259
Puerperal Causes	2	4	1	3	1	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	20	38	44
Congenital Malf. Debility &c.	8	17	9	11	11	6	8	4	7	1	9	4	7	3	5	111	216	208
Accidents	22	19	13	35	15	6	10	14	5	12	17	7	5	8	13	217	367	295
All Other	187	118	71	210	105	34	56	74	57	42	68	29	23	60	51	1281	1962	1854
Total Deaths	473	319	206	516	280	114	166	200	163	154	219	101	83	155	144	3564	5739	5539
" " under 1 year	15	21	13	14	12	10	13	8	10	4	13	9	7	3	9	162	335	287
Total Births	422	512	266	496	360	131	229	232	166	211	424	219	153	296	291	4655	9618	9410
Total Marriages	1563	400	166	357	135	114	145	217	168	144	90	126	105	109	46	3865	5670	5489

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